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PITTSBURG CARMEN RETURN TO WORK; WESTERN RAILROAD WALKOUT IS NEARING AN END

3,000 Motormen and Conductors Man Cars After Two Weeks' Tieup.

TO CONTINUE THEIR FIGHT MUST DECIDE BY SATURDAY

Officers of Union Announce Negotiations for 60-Cent an Hour Scale Will Be Resumed Within a Week or So; Strike Breakers Leave.

By Associated Press.
PITTSBURG, Aug. 29.—Street car service resumed here today for the first time in two weeks when 3,000 striking motormen and conductors of the Pittsburgh Street Railway company returned to work following a vote of Carmen yesterday to abandon the strike.

A few men went back to work at the increase—five cents an hour—hired them by the national war board recently, against which they struck two weeks ago last night.

The Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway men will reopen negotiations for the full 60-cents-an-hour scale originally demanded by the Pittsburgh men within a week or so, however, William D. Fitzgerald, international vice president, informed the receivers of the company last night.

Eight hundred strike breakers were paid off and left the city last night, when it was assumed cars would be operated by the regular crews.

STRIKE OF UNION STEEL MEN THREATENED IN THE ANSWER TO JUDGE GARY

Deny Chairman's Claims and Declare Strike Is Forcing Issue; Sunday Time Limit.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—After a conference here yesterday with the executive committee of the American Federation of Labor, representatives of the committee of the steel and iron workers' union made public a letter to E. H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation, announcing that the execs for a strike of union steel workers would be enforced unless the corporation granted an interview to the committee within the time limit set.

The letter was dated at New York Wednesday, but was withheld until the steel workers' representatives could confer with Samuel Gompers, president, and other officials of the federation.

"We have received your answer to our request for a conference on behalf of the employees of your corporation," said the letter to Judge Gary, "and we understand the first paragraph of your answer to be an absolute refusal on the part of your corporation to concede to your employees the right of collective bargaining."

"You question the authority of our committee to represent the majority of your employees. The only way by which we can prove our authority is to let the strike vote into effect and sincerely hope you will not force us to prove this point."

"We asked for a conference for the purpose of arranging a meeting where the questions of wages, hours, conditions of employment and collective bargaining might be discussed. Your answer is a flat refusal for such conference."

"You also made reference to the attitude of your corporation in not opposing or preventing your employees from joining labor organizations. It is a matter of common knowledge that the tactics employed by your corporation and subsidiaries have for years most effectively prevented any attempt at organization by your employees."

"Some few days are still at the disposal of our committee before the time limit will have expired when there will be no discretion left to the committee but to enforce the decree of your employees whom we have the honor to represent."

STEEL CONTROVERSY MAY BE TAKEN TO WILSON.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—President Wilson is to be asked to take stand in the controversy between the steel workers and the United States Steel Corporation in an effort to prevent a general strike.

This announcement was made today by the committee of the steel workers who charge that the steel corporation was trying to forge the issue before the President could have an opportunity to pass upon the merits of the controversy.

In a telegram to the union of steel workers at Gary, Ind., the committee said the workers were not to strike "under any circumstances" until the strike date had been set by the committee. Gary union had telegraphed that the steel workers were being discriminated against and "discharged wholesale" for the purpose of forcing a strike.

AUTOMATIC BRAKE MAKES ONE-MAN CAR SAFE, IS THE CLAIM

West Penn Tries New Type Out on Baggage Line Out of Latrobe.

In an effort to meet objections to one-man street cars for short line runs the West Penn has put into service a car equipped with an automatic air-brake device. This, it is declared, will make operation of the car absolutely safe, even if the motorman is taken suddenly ill or his attention distracted by any unusual circumstance.

The first car so equipped was put in service on the Baggage line out of Latrobe and is said to be proving a success.

In operating the car, either the controller must be held down by the pressure of the operator's hand, or his foot must remain against the foot control.

Immediately upon the release of the pressure for any reason, the airbrakes are applied, and the car is brought to a stop more quickly than was the case when the hand brakes were applied on the older type of car.

The principal objection offered in towns against the one-man car was that in case of anything happening to the motorman, the car would be left to run wild, there being no other operator on board.

The West Penn company has sought to meet this objection by the new installation of the automatic safety device.

The car was tried out before being put into service. It was speeded up to the maximum speed, and then the hand of the operator was released from the controller. Immediately the brakes were applied automatically, and the car came to a halt within the distance between two trolley poles.

The doors of the car, under the new arrangement, cannot be opened until the car is stopped, and the car cannot be started until the doors are closed. When the automatic brakes are applied the doors unlatch automatically so as to provide for a safe and easy exit of the passengers.

It is claimed that the new device makes the one-man car as safe as it is humanly possible to make any trolley car.

Safety is assured for passengers in getting on and off, since the doors do not open until the car stops and since they must be closed before the car starts; while to release the pressure of the motorman's hand from the controller or to release the pressure from the foot throttle which the motorman is privileged to use while resting his hand, means the instant application of the automatic control.

Refuse to Settle Damages.
James Kocharick and Alex Kolo, both of Vanderbilt, were held for court yesterday by Alderman Fred Munk on a charge of malicious mischief after they had refused to settle damages caused while they are alleged to have been drunk at the restaurant and boarding house of Mrs. Lizzie Flora in South Arch street. They refused to leave their beds and when a little daughter of Mrs. Flora attempted to eject them they became disorderly, smashed a window and tore the girl's dress, it is alleged.

Penn Street Repaired.

Street Inspector William McCormick is having Penn street, formerly known as Eleventh, between Edna and Fayette streets, repaired and put in first class condition. The street was practically impassable for vehicles of any kind, due to washouts. The storm water has been diverted and the street should remain as it is when the work is completed.

Sister-Gratztown Celebration.
Suterville and Gratztown will hold a joint celebration Labor Day, September 1, in honor of the service men and women of the community. A 11 o'clock, following a parade, a memorial shaft costing \$700 will be dedicated. On it is a tablet with the names of those in the service.

To Visit 30 Cities.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—President Wilson will visit 30 cities during his tour of the country in the interest of the peace treaty and will be absent from Washington until September 30. He will leave here next Wednesday night and will make his first address Thursday at Columbus, Ohio.

Dr. Deluth Here.

Dr. Jess A. Deluth of Pittsburgh, who recently returned from France where he saw service as a captain in the Medical Corps, attended the Freed reunion here yesterday. He was accompanied by Mrs. DeMuth. They were the guests of Mrs. W. D. McGinnis while he was in France.

Circus More Fatal.

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 29.—Frank Hoffman, Wilkes-Barre, a prize fighter died today as the result of injuries sustained in a prize fight last night. His opponent, K. O. Circus of Pittsburgh, was held without bail. Sam Lewis, the referee, was held in \$1,000 bail.

Dinner Reunion Monday.

The annual reunion of the Dunn family will be held Monday near Aliquippa, Washington county. Members of the delegation from this section expect to attend.

Kills Rattler.

Fred Myers of the West Penn roadway force killed a rattler with three rattlers and a button on the trolley tracks near Dickerson Run, yesterday. He says it was two and a half feet long. A second snake got away.

To Get Free Delivery.

Rockwood is to get free mail delivery in the near future.

Temperature Report.

Showers and thunderstorms probably tonight and Saturday; somewhat warmer tonight, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Report.

1919-1918
Maximum 74 85
Minimum 56 71
Mean 65 73

The Youghiogheny river remained

Shopmen Will Strike in 90 Days If Cost of Living Is Not Cut; Vote Here Tonight

Members of the Baltimore & Ohio shopmen's federation in Connellsville will vote this evening whether to accept the advance of four cents an hour in wages proposed by President Wilson or strike. Crafts affiliated with the federation are the machinists, boilermakers and their helpers, sheet metal workers, electrical workers and carmen. There are about 700 shopmen in Connellsville.

The national executive council yesterday voted in favor of acceptance of the proposal of the President provided the government can show within the next 90 days results in its campaign to reduce the high cost of living. It is expected the local shopmen will be guided by this and vote to accept.

RICE PAYS \$22,000 FOR FOURTH INTEREST IN THE SMITH HOUSE

By Acquisition of Share of Rockwell Stillwagon He Becomes Sole Owner of Hotel.

By a closed deal closed yesterday, Rockwell Stillwagon sold his one-fourth interest in the Smith House to William E. Rice for \$22,000, according to announcement made last night. Mr. Rice is now sole owner of the hotel, located in Crawford avenue.

Mr. Stillwagon, who has been in the hotel for some time, will travel through the south in the hope of benefiting thereby, it was said this afternoon.

The sale of the Stillwagon interest would seem to indicate that the property has lost nothing in value through prohibition. Its value at this time, according to the price paid for the fourth interest, is nearly \$30,000. A few years ago, when the estate of the late Berthauna R. Smith was being closed, and after the property of Mrs. Smith had escheated to the state, the property was sold for \$70,000.

Free transportation was provided

the veterans to and from the county seat by the West Penn Railways company.

Others from this locality in attendance included A. Billheimer, Ruffell; Samuel Blies, Stauffer; J. A. Bunting, Dunbar; John Boger, Vandebilt; W. T. Critchfield, Confluence; J. L. Collins, Chillicothe; C. H. Cook, Scottsdale; L. L. Collins, Vanderbil; W. F. Fox, Alverton; Jefferson-Freeman, Scottsdale; J. L. Francis, Perryopolis; I. L. Hall, Confluence; L. R. Nixon, Alverton; Gabriel Harton, Mount Pleasant; Henry Keister and Joseph Miller, New Stanton; William K. Myers, New Stanton; Martin L. Pope, Dunbar; W. G. Rife, Scottsdale; C. W. Price, Dunbar; John J. Richy, Penrose; A. F. Stoen, John Stoen, Dunbar; W. H. Saxon, Mount Pleasant; George W. Turner, Ohio City; A. Shawley, Mount Pleasant; J. H. Wirsing, Harmensville; J. M. Wilkins, Dunbar; John Wilkes, Perryopolis.

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FORMER CONNELLSVILLE GIRL

IS MARRIED IN DETROIT

Announcements of the marriage of Miss Frances Keener Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martimer Evans of Detroit, Mich., formerly of Connellsburg, to Verne Edgar Doogan, also of Detroit, were received here today. The ceremony was solemnized Tuesday afternoon, August 26, at 12:30 o'clock in the home of the bride. About thirty guests, including members and intimate friends of the family, attended. Miss Odile Evans was her sister's maid of honor. The ceremony was followed by a prettily appointed wedding dinner. The bride is very well known in Connellsburg, where she resided until about two years ago when her parents moved to Detroit. Following a wedding trip to Indiana Mr. and Mrs. Doogan will be at home in Detroit.

Delightful Farewell Party.

Dewey Miller, Kirk Dilworth, Charles Edwin Keay and George Sibley, who will enter college in September, shared honors at a delightfully appointed farewell party given last evening at the Colonial Inn by the Unity Fraternity, of which they are members. A color scheme of blue and gold, the fraternity colors, predominated. The decorations were unusually attractive. Dancing was indulged in and a most enjoyable time was had. Refreshments were served.

King's Daughters to Meet.

The monthly business and social meeting of the King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian church will be held tomorrow afternoon in the church.

Invitations Issued.

An infant will be held next Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Layton Forsythe in South Eighth street, Greenwood, in honor of their recent marriage. Invitations have been extended to about fifty of their friends.

Missionary Society Meets.

Mrs. W. E. West had charge of the lesson study at the regular meeting of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Trinity Lutheran church held last evening at the home of Mrs. William Storey in Patterson avenue. Interesting papers on "South America," the topic for study, were read by Mrs. H. C. Hoffman, Mrs. S. G. Zimmerman and Mrs. Edward Baer. At the close of the business meeting refreshments were served.

Mrs. Shumaker is Hostess.

Mrs. P. D. Shumaker was hostess at the regular meeting of the W. W. Pickett class of the Methodist Protestant church last evening at her home in South Eighth street, Greenwood. The meeting was the largest held for some time, about fifty persons being present. A business session was held, followed by a social meeting. Talks were given by Mr. Miller, Robert Boyd, George Swallow and others. Refreshments were served.

Serves on Committee.

In naming the committee in charge of the first annual reception and dance of Le Ette Lodge No. 515, Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, the name of Robert Whirkey was unintentionally omitted. Mr. Whirkey assisted Mrs. Mamie Nicholson in looking after the tickets at the door.

PERSONAL.

Eugene Whitney and son, Gene, of Cleveland, O., have returned home after a visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Emma Soisson of Johnson Avenue.

The best place to shop after all, Brownell Shoe Company—Adv.

Miss Henrietta Walker has returned to her duties at the office of the Bell Telephone company, having recovered from a severe case of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Willie Walker and daughter, Eleanor, and Mrs. J. M. Tressler are visiting Mrs. D. B. Rohr of Cameron, W. Va.

A Pilot four-passenger military roadster was sold yesterday by the Mutual Garage to James De Blash of Dunbar. Mr. Boulos, Mr. Lizzar and Mr. De Blash went to Pittsburgh to drive the car back. Mr. Boulos, the Pilot dealer in this territory, drove the car to Connellsburg in high speed all the way. On Turtle Creek hill he had to slow down to 10 miles per hour because of a car ahead, but nevertheless the car picked up speed and finished the hill at 20 miles. This is going to be the car of the coming season and one that will be hard to beat for the money.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Madigan and children, Mrs. Arielle Madigan, and Mrs. Rose Showalter left this morning by automobile for Shadyside, N. Y., in the Catskill mountains, to visit

That Boy Of Yours

will grow in mind and muscle if you feed him right.

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CONFIDENCE JUSTIFIED.

The confidence the public has in the conservatism and sound common sense of the leaders of organized labor in accepting the suggestion of President Wilson for a truce in the demand for increased wages and short hours pending the outcome of the campaign to lessen the cost of living has been fully justified in the action taken by the executive council of the railroad shopcrafts in recommending to the locals that they defer action for a period of 90 days.

The vote of the striking street car employees of Pittsburgh to return to work under the terms of the agreement made to abide by the arbitration decision is another evidence of the ebbing effect of wage increases among those inclined to act hastily and without due consideration of the effect of the actions upon the biggest question now before the American people—the reduction of the cost of living.

These and other developments all indicate that sober second thought and a realization of the grave responsibility now resting upon all good citizens to contribute in every possible way to a solution of the problem of how will prevent unwise action and insure that domestic and national peace and tranquility is so much need to bring about a readjustment as the first requisite to ushering in an era of unexampled prosperity for every worker both hand and head.

CUTTING OUT SIGNS ON STATE ROADS.

The automobile traveling public and the citizens generally will rise up and call that man blessed who put into the mind of the State Highway Department to order the removal from the highways of the state highway advertising signs.

These disfigurements of the landscape have long been an eyesore to those whose business or journeys of leisure take them over the country roads hence their removal will be acclaimed with delight.

The privilege of erecting signs along the highway like all other privileges, has been abused to such an extent that the public has revolted against a continuance of the practice not only that but the sign builders efforts to give undue importance to their advertising have had the boldness to so closely follow the pattern and design of official signs giving warning direction and other information to travelers that the public as often become confused and sometimes actually misled by the counter-placards. Under the circumstances the Highway Department has every justification for its order and all be commended heartily for carrying it out effect.

Of course the order is not presumed to include within its scope signs erected upon private property (green) by the highways. I am sure no man the beauty of the surroundings rests entirely with the property owners but were they aware of the extent to which the public generally disapproves of the practice it is possible that there would be many more restrictions placed upon the granting of such privileges if not a complete withholding of them.

Other and much better means of catching the public's eye are available to advertisers without violating the sensibilities of many persons who have an eye for the beautiful and a decided taste for the incongruous in publicity. Experienced and discerning advertisers know too that when one sign is influenced by a gaudy billboard advertisement—thousands are made customs of an establishment or user of an advertised article through the medium of newspaper advertising—admittedly the best most active and cheapest of all forms of publicity.

AMERICAN LEGION POST.

Returned service men in Connellsville and vicinity will be welcome, the opportunity soon to be presented, for the organization of a local post of The American Legion. The neighboring towns of Uniontown, Scottdale and Greensburg have been somewhat quicker to act than Connellsville and now have posts organized with fairly large memberships in each place but here there has been some delay in taking the initial steps.

This organization stands for so many things which the men who served in the Army, Navy and Marine corps during the war have determined—either to be made a part of our citizenship that it is destined to become one of the most potent factors for the promotion of 100 per cent Americanism this country has ever known. Fabulous party politics have led to interpretations as to why the

Legion is as certain to prove its worth and courage as the enemy of unrighteousness in civic affairs in the home land as its members proved their intrepidity and valor in conduct with the enemy of free government in foreign lands.

With such worthy objects to be attained as called The American Legion into being the organization should attract to its membership every service man whose record and service entitle him to that privilege. The soldiers sailors and marines who went out from Connellsville having measured up to the full stature of patriotic and loyal citizens and the number of them being greatly in excess of the districts quota, a local post of the Legion should have a large membership including practically every one of them upon its rolls.

Connellsville met every demand of war time so completely both on the fighting front and on the home front that it would be somewhat of a reflection upon our highly creditable record were we to fall short of the opportunities of peace time to keep alive the spirit by which we were animated in the days of trial and test. No organization can better perpetuate that spirit and give it concrete form and expression than one composed of the men who were put to the proof and withstand it with imperishable honor to themselves and the country they served with such nobility and singleness of purpose.

The detailed account of the expenditures of the Wilsonian entourage at the Paris conference contain in item of \$6,000.00 for express air but is strongly held upon the record that for the same amount it has been included in the continental expense item but the amount \$1,500.00 is entirely inadequate as a measure of the quantity handed out.

Ladies who persist in the habit of carrying well filled purses in the movies will not be surprised to find expensive charms and diamonds in the screen.

The executive council of the railroad shopcrafts has made it plain that the Democratic administration will have to let down its hatches on the 11th day of August the cost of living or rate of living will not go into effect until the amount \$1,500.00 is entirely inadequate as a measure of the quantity handed out.

The result of the first day's negotiations between the two parties was that the president did not go into effect until the 11th day of August.

It would appear from the different interpretations given by the respective senators that at all events the order and the special act relating to re-enactment of arbitration would have been useful about most of the places of re-enactment yesterday.

Would it not be a prudent plan of action to let swing around the circle until that 90 day draft the railroad shopcrafts have made on H. C. L. has been paid?

It is well enough that the State Highway Department should hold this motorist's right to know the law but would it not be better to some to hold the police officer and magistrate responsible for his enforcement? That would tend to hold the speed bands in check if not at all in jail.

With the price of hog dropping \$8 per hundredweight to 36¢ per lb. Chicago cans are not wanting, thus odd I'm waiting for a softie to land after his dizzy flight.

Wilson's Interpretations Of League Obligations A Shock to Frenchmen

Paris Correspondent, New York Sun

Europe still is agitated tremendously over President Wilson's statement that the United States is obligated "in morally to come to Europe's aid under the League of Nations par." The first news came like a thunderbolt to those in France who by reason of his assurances while here had accepted his league as having material value and consented to a peace treaty which through his insistence had the league as its cornerstone.

The progress of disillusionment has been going on for some time in France by reason of such incidents as the Persian agreement by which England obtains for herself practical control of that country but has taken the president's own interpretation of the obligations involved to drive home to many here upon what snags still stand the security of France rests through her acceptance of a peace treaty founded on such a league.

Until President Wilson explained to the senators that only a moral obligation was involved in Articles X and XI the common acceptance of these articles here had been that they had practically the binding force of a military convention. This idea was supported notably by the statements of President Wilson himself when Premier Clemenceau was demanding a treaty of alliance which the president insisted was not necessary because the league guarantee accomplished the same purpose.

From the reaction here it would seem that what little confidence remained in the league has been destroyed now by the interpretations of its chief author which, it is pointed out have come as a virtual vindication of the Foch party here. This party if it had its way would have made a treaty without depending upon the league for those guarantees which France considers vital for the national defense.

That President Wilson has furnished the Foch party with ammunition for a renewal of its attacks when the treaty comes up for discussion in the French chamber of deputies is evident from the tone adopted by the leading newspaper organs of the party. The indications are that it will become one of the most potent factors for the promotion of 100 per cent Americanism this country has ever known. Fabulous party politics have

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Europe still is agitated tremendously over President Wilson's statement that the United States is obligated "in morally to come to Europe's aid under the League of Nations par." The first news came like a thunderbolt to those in France who by reason of his assurances while here had accepted his league as having material value and consented to a peace treaty which through his insistence had the league as its cornerstone.

The progress of disillusionment has been going on for some time in France by reason of such incidents as the Persian agreement by which England obtains for herself practical control of that country but has taken the president's own interpretation of the obligations involved to drive home to many here upon what snags still stand the security of France rests through her acceptance of a peace treaty founded on such a league.

Until President Wilson explained to the senators that only a moral obligation was involved in Articles X and XI the common acceptance of these articles here had been that they had practically the binding force of a military convention. This idea was supported notably by the statements of President Wilson himself when Premier Clemenceau was demanding a treaty of alliance which the president insisted was not necessary because the league guarantee accomplished the same purpose.

From the reaction here it would seem that what little confidence remained in the league has been destroyed now by the interpretations of its chief author which, it is pointed out have come as a virtual vindication of the Foch party here. This party if it had its way would have made a treaty without depending upon the league for those guarantees which France considers vital for the national defense.

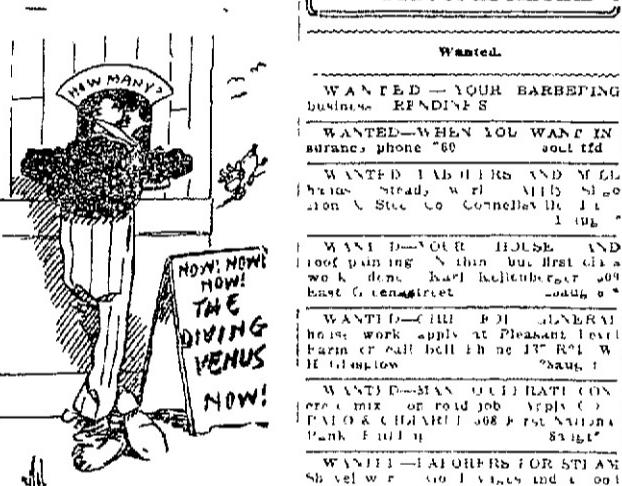
That President Wilson has furnished the Foch party with ammunition for a renewal of its attacks when the treaty comes up for discussion in the French chamber of deputies is evident from the tone adopted by the leading newspaper organs of the party. The indications are that it will become one of the most potent factors for the promotion of 100 per cent Americanism this country has ever known. Fabulous party politics have

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RETURNING ITALIANS

Show Hint Signs of Prosperity They Learned While in the U.S.

The return of emigrants from the United States through the port of Naples is becoming more and more important according to a report received by the Department of Commerce from the American consul at Naples. It is estimated he says that since the armistice 10,000 Italians have been repatriated there and that only 100,000 more at New York are waiting to embark.

During the week ending June 8 the greatest number was reached when 4,500 returning emigrants arrived in Naples. The status of the passengers writes the consul is one of apparent prosperity the substantial trunks and tailor clothes forming a striking contrast to the bags and homespun in evidence when emigrants leave for America. The wealth brought back by these people forms a large source of income to Southern Italy.

I have lived in Italy longer and I have loved and I have danced alone. I have a day that I have known where my love is with me. I have a day where the roses bloom. I have a day with the dove. I have a day where the troubadour's song is growing. I have a day where the Lord is with me. I have a day where the troubadour's song is growing. I have learned to care as I care for sweet and restful sleep.

MICKIE SAYS

DANGONE! IT MAKES ME SORE! HERE TH BOSS HAS BILLS TO PAY EVERY DAY AN' HEY SOME FOLKS GET PEEDEE BECAUSE THEY ARE AS T PAY FOR TH PAPER INJUNST A YEAR!



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"Why didn't you buy that bill of goods from me? I could have saved you the express, and besides you would have been patronizing a home store, which helps pay the taxes and builds up this locality."

The farmer looked at the merchant a moment and then said "Why don't you patronize your home paper and advertise? I read it and didn't know that you had these things."

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of domestic dry goods, for autumn wear. There is an extraordinarily beautiful line of figured, flowered and checked voiles, plaids, ginghams, lame linens etc. It is a wonderful array of beautiful patterns and at very remarkably low prices. The stocks are not heavy. The demand is strong and stocks will be hard to duplicate in all these lines. "The early bird catches the worm." Better come soon.

We again want to call your attention to the very smart styles we have in musses and children's raiment for school wear. It is only a short time now until school opening. Many mothers have already bought them material and are having clothes made. Some of them are ready for school now. To the late buyers we want to announce that the stocks are equally as good now—there are new lines coming in daily. There is a very attractive line of piece goods at very attractive prices. Most all the schools in this section open Monday, September 1st—some few open Tuesday September 2nd. So you realize that your time for preparation is short. Do not forget that we have also a complete line of outfitting equipment in boys' wear for school purposes—shoes, hats caps, clothing, etc.

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F. J. FLUTO Collector 1st Aug-29

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DEARTH OF HOUSES IN SCOTTDALE; REAL ESTATE SALES BIG

Many Have to Move on September 1 But Have No Place to Move to.

INSURANCE AGENTS GET TRIP

Herman Bendiner of Philadelphia Visits Brother William While on Way to Del Monte, California; George C. Jarrett a Winner, Too.

SPECIAL TO THE COURIER.

SCOTTDALE, Aug. 29.—With the first of September close at hand and much moving to be done, houses cannot be found in Scottdale. This has made the sale of real estate in Scottdale greater during the past week than it has all during the summer months. Sales totaling \$7,500 were made by E. F. DeWitt alone. These include the Thomas Rutherford property on South Chestnut street, sold to David Buckley, the John Ferguson property on Third avenue, to Herman Kreager, and the G. F. Turner double house, to W. B. Nicholson.

For Sale.

Eight-room modern house corner lot 60x110 feet, Loucks avenue; for \$4,700.

Seven-room house, one acre land, on Reagan town road; for \$4,500.

Eight-room double house, Everson, rents for \$20.00; for \$1,800.

Seven-room modern house, shower electric lights, everything in No. 1 condition; for \$3,400.

Nine-room house, 2½ acres land, on street car line and brick road; for \$3,000.

Six-room house, hot water heater and bath; for \$2,500.

Eight-room house, and vacant lot adjoining, on paved street; for \$2,800.

Four acres land, five-room house, best water, one mile from Scottdale, on street car line and brick road; for \$2,700.

Five-room brick house, near Valley; for \$1,600. E. F. DeWitt—Adv. 283; Entertains for Comrades.

Clarence W. Boyer entertained in honor of several boy friends who recently returned from overseas at his Homestead avenue home on Wednesday evening. An elaborate lunch was served.

Agents Get Trip.

Herman Bendiner of Philadelphia, one of the New York Life Insurance agents, who is in the \$200,000 class won a trip to Del Monte, California, stopped off here yesterday with his brother, William Bendiner.

George C. Jarret of Scottdale is also a member of the \$200,000 New York Life Insurance class and will be a guest on this trip.

Champion Boy Home.

Harry Hosteller of Champion, who recently returned from overseas, is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Sturtz. He was across more than two years, seeing service in France and Germany. His company after taking part in several big drives was under orders to advance at 12 o'clock when the armistice was signed at 11 o'clock, November 11. While he had several very narrow escapes, he came home without a scratch.

Why Wait?

Why should you wait to buy Fall garments next month that will cost you \$10 to \$15 more than if you bought it now? To keep busy during this month we are willing to share with you our savings on early purchases and even sacrifice part of our regular small profits and fully save you \$15 on new snappy fall coats, suits, dresses and hats. We have your little girl's school needs ready at less than you can buy it for elsewhere. Bendiner's Broadway Ladies' Store.

Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smeltzer on Wednesday mortored to Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Steiner have returned from a weeks' trip to Webster Springs, W. Va.

J. H. Altman has returned home after a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Altman at McKeesport.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bardley of Somersett were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Altman of North Broad- way.

Mrs. F. E. Hosteller and son Melvin Wayne of Youngwood spent Wednesday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elma W. Hosteller.

Miss Minnie Dannecker, Miss Edna Shallenberger, Lester Shallenberger and Paul Mackey left this morning on

INDIGESTION Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people—in fact about 2 out of 10 suffer more or less from indigestion or gastritis. Nearly every case is caused by Acid-Stomach.

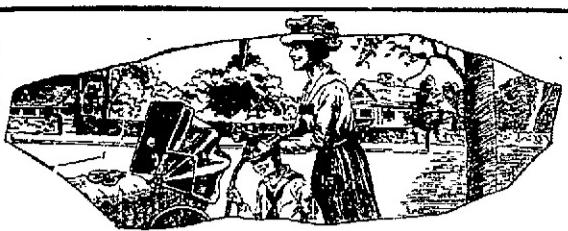
There are other stomach disorders which also are signs of Acid-Stomach—bulging, heartburn, bloating after eating, food retention, constipation, etc. There are also ailments which while they do not cause much distress in the stomach itself, are nevertheless, traceable to an acid condition of the body. These include biliousness, cirrhosis of the liver, rheumatism, impoverished blood, varicose veins, insomnia, melancholia and a long list of other diseases. All these afflictions help to keep the victim in miserable health year after year.

The best thing to do is to attack the disease at its source—get rid of the acid-stomach. A wonderful modern remedy called EATONIC now makes it easy to do so.

Our grateful users of EATONIC write: "I have been troubled with intestinal indigestion for about ten years. I took Quinine and various medicines, but without relief. After using EATONIC for a few days the gas and pains in my bowels disappeared. EATONIC is just what I really needed."

We have thousands of interesting cases of miraculous benefits. TRY EATONIC and you will be surprised. It is a great medicine. Your druggist has EATONIC. Get a big 50c box from him today. He will refund your money if you are not satisfied.

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FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH



Danger Lurks In Summer Foods For Babies

EVERY mother knows the evil effects of summer heat on cow's milk. This danger is equally great to all foods unless carefully kept in a cool place.

Bad food loses its nourishing value. It causes constipation and diarrhea. These are at best always prevalent in the summer time. They depress the mind and weaken the body, and may cause more serious illness.

The first precaution is to see that the stools are regular and normal. In the case of babies and children, if less than twice a day you may suspect constipation; if more than three times a day, diarrhea. A remedy is then

needed that will regulate and tone the bowels, and you will find none safer and better than Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin. It is a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepin that millions of mothers constantly have in the house for just such purposes.

A bottle of Syrup Pepin can be bought at any drug store for 50¢ and \$1, the latter the family size. A free trial bottle can be had by sending your address to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 480 Washington St., Milledgeville, III.

**DR. CALDWELL'S
Syrup Pepin**
The Perfect Laxative

an auto trip to Baltimore, Washington, Mount Vernon and Gettysburg. Solomon Sturtz and family motored to Johnstown and were guests of Mrs. Sturtz's brother, W. L. Sturtz.

MOTHER OF 8 GETS QUICK AID

Household duties, together with the care of eight children, was a little more than Mrs. P. Lindner, 226 W. Sunbury St., Shamokin, could stand, she says.

"My nerves became unruly, I couldn't sleep right at night and finally my appetite went back on me. Catarrh, which I had suffered with for years, added to my misery, until one day decided to try Tanlac."

"Now it is different. Tanlac gets my stomach working right, my nerves are strong again and catarrh is a thing of the past. Thanks to Tanlac."

Tanlac, which builds up the system, creates a healthy appetite, promotes digestion, vitalizes the blood and brings back color to the cheeks and the sparkle of life to the eyes, is sold here by Belchley's Pharmacy, Connellsville Drug Co. and Fred Harmoning—Adv.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Aug. 27—Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blair entertained the Perry township school directors in honor of Frank Browneller, who has resigned as a director and will move September 1 to Chambersburg, where he has

purchased a home. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rieske, Star Junction; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Piersol, Star Junction; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Edwards, Layton; J. E. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Browneller, Russell and Alverta Browneller, Wick Haven; Mrs. Jennie Moser, Wilson; Miss Verde Crouse, Uniontown; Mr. and Mrs. William Piersol, Berthessdale, O., and Miss Mary and Miss Pearle Piersol, also of Berthessdale.

During the evening the guests were entertained with a solo by Mrs. Pite and talks by J. B. Snyder, Mr. Edwards, Mr. Pile, Mr. Piersol and Mr. Browneller. Luncheon was served and the guests returned home wishing the Brownellers success and happiness in their new home.

Mrs. Lillian Stewart and Mrs. Lewis Hyatt spent Wednesday in Connellsville.

Mrs. Jennie Massey of Wilton, Pa.,



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In spite of all the doubtless and scoffers, a man in Kentucky, who changed his annoying and distressing hay fever into less than a cold, claims most emphatically that if taken in time hay fever can be conquered at least made so harmless that it is not even bothersome.

He gave his discovery to scores of other sufferers with the most remarkable results and has recently been presenting them to dispensaries throughout the country. All hay fever sufferers who still have faith that nature has provided an effective remedy for this common yet miserable disease.

If you will make up a pint and use it for a week or ten days you need not be surprised if your unwelcome yearly visitor fails to appear.

And best of all this remedy costs al-

most nothing. Get a one ounce bottle of Mentholized Arcline at any drug store, pour the contents into a pint bottle and fill the pint bottle with water that has been boiled.

Then gargle as directed and twice daily snuff or spray each nostril thoroughly.

That's all there is to it; so simple that a lot of people will say that it can't do the work; but oftentimes simple natural remedies are the best as you will find after using.

If you will make up a pint and use it for a week or ten days you need not be surprised if your unwelcome yearly visitor fails to appear.

For Cloak and Suit Department—Wonderful opportunity for the right party, with good salary and commission on every sale. Apply COURIER "B."

CLOAK AND SUIT DEPARTMENT

Visit Our "Bargain Third Floor" Tomorrow for Real Savings in This

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EXPANSION SALE

Up to \$1.50 Gowns, Petticoats, Envelope Chemise, Silk Camisoles **89c**

Up to \$1.50 fine Muslin Gowns, Skirts, Envelope Chemise and Silk Camisoles, in dainty embroidery and lace trimmed effects—special tomorrow at 89c

Third Floor.

Informal opening of our new "Bar-

gain Third Floor" offering Coats, Suits,

Dresses, Infants' Wear, Muslim Under-

wear, Sweaters, House Dresses, Kim-

onas, Curtains, Draperies and Blankets.

Infants' Short and

Long Dresses at **88c**

Mother's will find these Infants' Dresses much better than the price would indicate—bead yoke trimmed effects. Carefully made seams and buttonholes—priced special at 88c.

Third Floor.

Misses' and Juniors' **\$19.75**

New Fall Coats Values to \$19.75, at ...
Early arrivals in Misses' and Juniors' Coats that represent a saving of \$5.00. Now on sale on our "Bargain Third Floor" at \$19.75.

\$2.00 Serum Curtains at **\$1.48**

Special for Saturday only, at a pair \$1.18.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES SERGE DRESSES and a Few Suits, **\$4.95**

Values to \$19.75, at ...
Odds and Ends Clean-up in the month-end Expansion Sale at prices that are bound to move them. Odd sizes and colors—third floor, at \$4.95.

15c White and Ecru Serum, a Yard **13c**

Fancy worked borders and selvage—special for Saturday, a yard 13c

CHILDREN'S COATS AND CAPE, Values to \$8.00, at **\$2.95**

Another Third Floor bargain is Children's Coats and Capes. Just a clean-up—we don't want them, so they are priced to move quick at \$2.95.

Sunfast Drapery, a Yard **69c**

For Saturday only—good selection of patterns, special, yard 69c.

The New Fall Suits Featured Here Tomorrow at

\$29.50, \$35.00, \$39.50

We present tomorrow a first glimpse of new Fall Suits in the cleverest designs of New York's newest styles. Selected with the conscientious eye for quality and detail that add materially to every garment.

New Autumn Dresses For Women and Misses

\$19.75 and \$24.50

In Serges, Silks, Taffeta and Georgette Combinations.

Smart dress styles represented in these two prices that in ordinary stores would bring .50 to \$8.00 more. An interesting shopping tour can be spent here tomorrow, not alone in viewing the things here advertised but in inspecting the entire Fall shwing of Coats, Suits and Dresses.

Profit Sharing Coupons, Too.

New \$6.00 and \$6.50 Georgette Waists

Special for Saturday at ... Other Waists for Fall up to \$15.00.

\$5.00

New Fall Millinery

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Ornaments that glitter and embroidered touches of brightest color introduce the Chinese influence so accepted by Paris and New York designers. Small Turbans, turned drapes and chic new styles wide of grim at either side are among the favored.

You will find yourself trying to choose which one of the many becoming styles you really like best.

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CLOAK AND SU

**GALLEY FAMILY HAD
10 MEMBERS IN THE
COUNTRY'S SERVICE**

Two of them cited for bravery; Lieutenant Shallenberger gives his life.

About 150 members of the Galley family attended the reunion at the Dawson fair grounds on Thursday. Fifty of these attended the first gathering of the clan 25 years ago and 10 of them had attended all of the yearly reunions. P. G. Smith of Hickerson Run, aged 81 years, five months and six days, was the oldest member present.

The present officers were all re-elected and given power to select the place and decide on the date for the outing next year. A resolution was passed unanimously thanking H. T. Cochran and Harry Cochran, for the use of the driving park for the reunion.

The records showed that 10 men in the family connection served their country during the war. They were Lieutenant H. D. Shallenberger, Jr., Vanderbilt, Enlisted August, 1917. Killed in action, November, 1918. Served with Company G, 56th Infantry with the rank of second lieutenant and was awarded the D. S. C. after his death.

Frank Shallenberger, son of W. S. and Maggie Shallenberger of Silverwood, Ind. Cited for bravery by General Pershing.

Harry Overholt Galley son of E. F. Galley, Eagle Rock, Los Angeles, Cal. Served in Navy.

William K. Galley, son of Ewing Galley, Dickerson Run, Ten months in A. E. F.

S. Stahl Shallenberger, Dawson S. A. T. C., Allegheny college.

Lindsey Beal, son of Joseph and Elizabeth Beal, A. E. F.

G. W. Smith, nephew of P. G. Smith, Belgrade, Neb.; A. E. F.

Clifford Taylor, Indiana, Pa. son of Laura Galley Taylor, S. A. T. C.

Gilbert Wilbridge, Indianapolis, Indiana, son of Susan Fogel.

Ralph H. Boyd, son of James S. Boyd, Wichita, Kan.; A. E. F.

Following is a list of older members and heads of families who attended:

Mrs. Eliza Smith and Mrs. Florence G. Royer, Philadelphia, Gen. and Raymond Whitfield and Mrs. Elizabeth Whitfield, Monongahela; Mr. B. W. Huston and Mrs. J. A. Hemphill, Olney, Kan., Miss Ruth Boyd, Wichita, Kan., John Snyder and family, Monongahela; Mrs. Harriet Smith and Mrs. Catherine Smith, Bell Vernon; M. L. Galley and daughter, Florence, McKeesport; William Galley and family, Emlyeville, Carl Galley and family, Canonsburg; Mrs. Letta Zimmerman, Finleville; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Luce, Perryopolis; Mr. Anna Frances Columbiana, Ohio, Mrs. Martha Coder, Ohio, Mrs. L. A. Moore, Uniontown, Mr. and Mrs. Orbin O'Neal and daughter and Mrs. W. W. Frankenberg, Uniontown; Miss Alice Galley, Atwater, Ohio, Edward Anderson, son and daughter, Scottsdale, Paul Fink, Charleroi; M. & L. Johnson, Bridgewater; O. C. Galley and family and Miss Estelle Galley, Mount Pleasant, Mrs. Joseph Taylor, Clifford Taylor and Mrs. Emma Galley, Barnesboro; Mrs. Earl Albert, Mrs. Mary Robinson and daughters Grace and Ruth; Mrs. Mrs. Brashear and Mrs. Fanny Porter, Connellsville; Mrs. Addie Leichty, Meyersdale; Mrs. Lou Cumberland and Mrs. Hutchinson, Monessen, Mr. and Mr. Arthur Freed, Connellsville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder and son, Monongahela.

Chiopyle.

CHIOPYLE, Aug. 28—Mrs. Adeline Potter is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Palmer, at Belle Vernon.

Fred Rafferty was a Connellsville business caller Wednesday.

Mrs. N. Boyd and children have returned from a pleasant visit spent with relatives in Dunbar.

Mrs. Calvin Bryner left last evening to spend a short visit with Fort Hill friends.

Mrs. Neill and daughter, Elizabeth, who have spent the past month near here, returned to their home in Pittsburgh last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Liston Joseph of Bear Run, were callers here last evening.

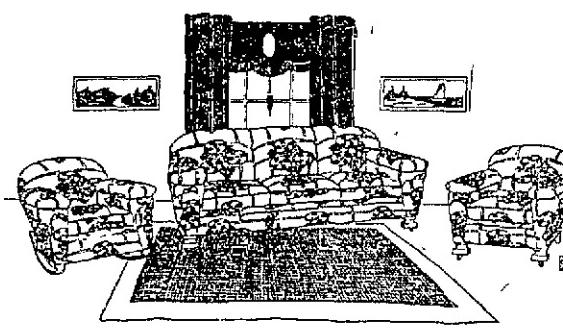
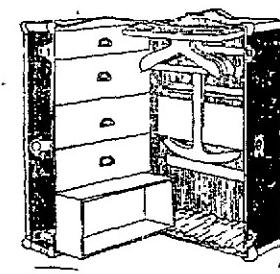
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The first thing that will strike you about the Z. & W. display of new Fall Furniture is the way our well known standard of quality is maintained despite the fact that manufacturing conditions are such that many dealers have become lax in order to get goods of any kind.

Another thing you will be impressed with in looking over this display is the general uniformity of prices with those of last season. You'll find no advance due to our foresightedness in buying previous to the startling jump of prices at the July market.

Late Vacationist Will Find a Complete Selections of Luggage Here

Belber Wardrobe Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases are featured at the Z. & W. Store—because this nationally advertised luggage is of a standard of quality that everyone may be proud of the Belber label thereon.

See Our Genuine Leather Suitcase \$10.00

You Will Save \$5 to \$15 on Your New Fall Rugs At The ZIMMERMAN WILD COMPANY FURNITURE RUGS STOVES

"The Big Store Near The Bridge."
Connellsville's Most Progressive Furniture Store.

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GIVES GOOD ADVICE

"Several years ago I was under treatment of a stomach specialist for five months, three weeks of which were spent in a hospital. Another stomach specialist told me I had gall stones and that an operation was necessary. I did not want to have this. I lost 45 pounds in weight talking with a brakeman one day he told me of May's Wonderful Remedy and since taking it I have gained 16 pounds and am feeling fine. I am advising others to try it. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and relieves the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. A. A. Clarke and druggists everywhere. Adv."

Connellsville, was here yesterday transacting business.

Mrs. W. H. Beggs and son have returned from a short visit with Pittsburgh friends.

A. E. Tissue of Bear Run was a caller here yesterday.

Bryan Rush had returned from a visit to Leavittsburg Ohio.

William Schaeffer and family of Pittsburgh are spending a short vacation as the guests of Miss Ella Schaeffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Liston Joseph of Bear Run, were callers here last evening.

Mr. Brady of the B. & O. of Con-

BOXING

10 ROUNDS

EDDIE WIMLER

Fair Haven

—vs.—

JIMMY McCOY

A. E. F. Champion

HOWDY COLLINS vs.
FRED WESTWOOD—4 Rounds

TERRELL DUNCAN vs.
"FAD" HAIGHT—6 Rounds

10 ROUNDS

JOHNNY KERSTON

McKeesport

—vs.—

BILLY CARTER

Connellsville

Saturday Evening August, 30.

Open Air Arena, Rear Paramount Theatre,
Connellsville.

BOXERS IN SHAPE FOR SCRAPS HERE ON SATURDAY NIGHT

Eddie Wimler will have hard row to hoe with Johnny McCoy, A. E. F. Pride.

Interest was high in the open-air boxing show to be held Saturday night in the rear of the Paramount theatre.

A good card has been arranged and local sport lovers are happy that Connellsville is to get back on the sport map again.

Billy Carter, who means

Johnny Kerston of McKeesport, a one

of the man 10-round bouts took a

hard workout yesterday, including

road work and boxing with four dif-

ferent sparring partners.

Kerston, too, is coming strong, and he has seen

work here, but he expects to win.

In the other 10-round bout of the

evening, Eddie Wimler of Fair Haven,

a ways a favorite with sport fans of

Connellsville where he got his start

in the ring game, will take on Jimmie

McCoy, who made a name for himself

in France with the A. E. F. winning

one of the army championships.

The return of Eddie, the fair-haired boy,

to the ring has more than a local sig-

nificance and will be watched by

sport writers and fight fans far and

near.

The other bouts will be between

"Fad" Haight and Terrell Duncan,

who meet in the semi-final, and a go

between "Howdy" Collins and Fred

Westwood for the Sligo championship.

William Turner will referee and

call in Pennsville Tuesday evening.

Bernard Sullivan will be timekeeper.

Tickets have been placed on sale

at the Smith house.

Pennsville.

PENNSVILLE, Aug. 29—The Misses Brunetta and Caroline Rodman are spending the week visiting Irwin friends.

Mrs. Frederick Header and little son, Frederick Jr., of Gary, Ind., are spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Head. Mrs. Header was formerly Miss Blossom Smith.

Mrs. A. M. Newell and daughters, Dorothy and Helen, of Canton, Ohio, visited Pennsville friends Monday.

Mrs. Devaux McLean and daughter of McKeesport are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Detmer this week.

Mrs. C. A. Richey and two sons returned Wednesday afternoon from a few days' visit with Pittsburg friends.

Mrs. C. H. Stauffer and daughter, Mrs. Roy McFadden Katherine and Louis Stauffer attended the Galley reunion Wednesday at the Dawson fair grounds.

J. B. Nicklow received a card Wednesday from his son, First Class Private Frank Nicklow, of the 27th Field Hospital, 32nd Division, that he arrived at Camp Merritt, N. J., on the 25th and expects to receive his discharge soon. Private Nicklow has been 16 months in France.

Mrs. J. L. Hyatt of East Gibson avenue, Connellsville, made a short

visit to Pennsville Tuesday evening.

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The Devil's Own

A Romance of the Black Hawk War

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Parrish

Author of "Contraband," "She of the Irish Brigade,"
"When Wilderness Was King, etc.
Illustrated by Irwin Myers

"Certainly; hasn't I told you about them? Both girls are accepted as his daughters; but, if all I have heard is true, one must be his granddaughter." He paused reminiscently, his eyes on the river. "Haines told me a number of strange things about that family I had never heard before," he admitted at last. "You see he has known them for years, and attended to most of Beauchaine's legal business. This is about how the story runs, as he told it. It wasn't generally known, but it seems that Lucas Beauchaine has been married twice—the first time to a Creole girl in New Orleans when he was scarcely more than a boy. Nobody now living probably knows whatever became of her, but likely she died early; anyway she never came north, or has since been heard from. The important part is that she gave birth to a son, who remained in New Orleans, probably in her care, until he was fourteen or fifteen years old. Then some occurrence, possibly his mother's death, caused the judge to send for the lad, whose name was Adelbert, and had him brought to Missouri. All this happened before Haines settled at the Landing, and previous to Beauchaine's second marriage to Mademoiselle Menard. Bert, as the boy was called, grew up wild, and father and son quarreled so continuously that finally, and before he was twenty, the latter ran away, and has never been heard of since—simply disappeared, and no one knows to this day whether he is alive or dead. At least if Judge Beauchaine ever received any word from him he never confessed as much to Haines. However, the boy left behind tangible evidence of his existence."

"You mean?"

"In the form of a child, born to a quadroon girl named Della. The mother, it seems, was able in some way to convince the judge of the child's parentage. All this happened shortly before Beauchaine's second marriage, and previous to the time when Haines came to the Landing. Exactly what occurred is not clear, or what explanation was made to the bride. The affair must have cut Beauchaine's pride deeply, but he had to face the conditions. It ended in his making the girl Della his housekeeper, while her child—the offspring of Adelbert Beauchaine—was brought up as a daughter. A year or so later the second wife gave birth to a female child, and those two girls have grown up together exactly as though they were sisters. Haines insists that neither of them knows to this day otherwise."

"But that would be simply impossible," I insisted. "The mother would never permit!"

"The mother! Which mother? The slave mother could gain nothing by confession, and the judge's wife died when her baby was less than two years old. Della practically mothered the both of them, and is still in complete charge of the house."

"You met her?"

"She was pointed out to me—a gray-haired, dignified woman, so nearly white as scarcely to be suspected of negro blood."

"Yet still a slave?"

"I cannot answer that. Haines himself did not know. If manumission papers had ever been executed it was done early, before he took charge of Beauchaine's legal affairs. The master never came to his attention."

"But, captain," I exclaimed, "do you realize what this might mean? If Judge Beauchaine has not issued papers of freedom this woman Della is still a slave."

"Certainly."

"And under the law her child was born into slavery!"

"No doubt of that."

"But the unspeakable horror of it—this young woman brought up as free, educated and refined, suddenly to discover herself to be a negro under the law, and a slave. Why, suppose Beauchaine should die, or lose his property suddenly; she could be sold the cotton fields, into bondage to anyone who would pay the price for her."

"There is nothing on record. Haines assured himself as to that some years ago."

"What are the two girls named?"

"Rene and Eloise."

"Which one is the daughter?"

"Really, lieutenant, I do not know. You see I was never introduced, but merely gained a glimpse of them in the garden. I don't if I would recognize the one from the other now. You see all this story was told me later."

I sat there a long while, after we had gone below, the inaction mate at the wheel. Tensely unknown to me as these two mysterious girls were, their strange story fascinated my imagination. What possible tragedy lay before them in the years? What horrible revelation to wrench them—sudden to change in a single instant the quiet current of their lives? In spite of every effort, every lurking hope, some way I could not rid myself of the thought that Beauchaine—either through sheer neglect, or some instinct of bitter hatred—had failed to meet the requirements of his duty. Even as I sat there, struggling valiantly against this suspicion, the judge himself came forth upon the lower deck and began pacing back and forth restlessly beside the rail. It was a struggle for me not to join him; the impetuosity of youth urging me even to brave his anger in my eagerness to ascertain the whole truth. Yet I possessed sense enough, or discretion, to refrain realizing dimly that, not even in the remotest degree, had I any excuse for such action. This was no affair of mine. Nor, indeed, would I have found much opportunity for private conversation, for only a moment or two later Kirby joined him, and the two remained together, talking earnestly, until the gong called us all to supper.

... across the long table, bare of cloth,

"About twenty field hands."
"And house servants?"

"Three or four."
The gambler's lips set more tightly, a dull gleam creeping into his eyes.
"See here, Beauchaine," he hissed sharply. "This is my game, and I play square and never squint. I know about what you've got, for I've looked them over; thought we might get down to this sometime. I can make a pretty fair guess as to what your niggers are worth. That's why I just raised you ten thousand and put up the money. Now if you think this is stuff, call me."

"What do you mean?"
"That I will accept your niggers as covering my bet."

"The field hands?"
Kirby smiled broadly.

"The whole bunch—field hands and house servants. Most of them are old; I doubt if altogether they will bring that amount, but I'll take the risk. Throw in a blanket bill of sales, and we'll turn up our cards. You won't do that the pile is mine as it stands."

Beauchaine again wet his lips, staring at the uncovered cards in his hands. He could not lose; with what he held, no combination was possible which would beat him. Yet in spite of this knowledge the cold, sneering confidence of Kirby brought with it a strange fear. The man was a professional gambler. What gave him such recklessness? Why should he be so eager to risk such a sum on an inferior hand? McAfee, sitting next him, leaned over, managed to gain a swift glimpse at what he held, and eagerly whispered to him a word of encouragement. The judge straightened up in his chair, grasped a filled glass someone had placed at his elbow, and gulped down the contents. The whispered words, coupled with the fiery liquor, gave him fresh courage.

"By heaven, Kirby, I'll do it!" he blurted out. "You can't blind me on the hand I've got. Give me a sheet of paper, somebody—yes, that will do."

He scrawled a half-dozen lines, fumblingly digging the pen into the sheet in his fierce eagerness, and then signed the document, flinging the paper across toward Kirby.

"There, you bloodsucker," he cried

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Insolently. "Is that all right? Will that do?"

The imperturbable gambler read it over slowly, carefully deciphering each word, his thin lips tightly compressed.

"You might add the words, 'This includes every chattel slave legally belonging to me,'" he said grimly.

"That is practically what I did say."

"Then you can certainly have no objection to putting it in the exact words I choose," calmly. "I intend to have what is coming to me if I win, and know the law."

Beauchaine angrily wrote in the required extra line.

"Now what?" he asked.

"Let McAfee sign it as a witness, and then toss it over into the pile." He smiled, showing a line of white teeth beneath his mustache. "Nice little pot, gentlemen—the judge must hold some cards to take a chance like that," the words uttered with a sneer. "Four, at least, or maybe five. He has had the luck to pick a straight flush."

Beauchaine's face reddened, and his eyes drew hard.

"That's my business," he said tersely. "Sign it, McAfee, and I'll call this crowning cockeral. You young fool, I played poker before you were born. There now, Kirby, I've covered your bet."

"Perhaps you would prefer to raise it?"

"You hell-bound—no! That is my limit, and you know it. Don't crawl now, or do any more bluffing. Show your hand—I've called you."

Kirby sat absolutely motionless, his cards lying face down upon the table, the white fingers of one hand resting lightly upon them, the other arm concealed. He never once removed his gaze from Beauchaine's face, and his expression did not change, except for the almost insulting sneer on his lips.

The silence was profound, the deeply interested men leaning forward, even holding their breath in intense eager-

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ness. Each realized that a fortune lay on the table; knew that the old lady had madly staked his all on the value of those five unseen cards gripped in his fingers. Again, as though to bolster up his shaken courage, he stared at the fare of each, then lifted his bloodshot eyes to the impudent face opposite.

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WORTHLESSNESS OF PITCHERS' RECORDS

Peculiar Instance Recited of Game at Cincinnati.

Adolphe Luque, Cuban Twirler, Given Credit for Winning Contest Although Not in Lineup When Winning Runs Scored.

The worthlessness of "won and lost" records for pitchers is shown in the following instance as recited by Jack Ryder in Cincinnati Enquirer:

Adolphe Luque the Cuban right-hander received credit for winning the opening game of the season at Cincinnati from the Cardinals. He pitched only one inning, and was not actually in the lineup when the winning runs were scored but his credit for a victory in the records was in accordance with the rules governing the crediting of games to pitchers.

Luque went into the game at the start of the eighth inning, with the score 2 to 1 in favor of the Cardinals. The state of the score at that time eliminated Reutter who had pitched the first seven rounds from any chance of receiving credit for the game if the Reds should win. Reutter left the contest with a loser on his hands, and if no more runs had been scored by the Reds he would have been charged with the defeat.

Luque pitched the first half of the eighth inning with success, shutting out the enemy and retiring the side in order. In the last half of the inning the Reds staged a batting rally and eventually scored five runs giving them the lead, 6 to 2. In the course of this rally Luque was taken out of the game to let Walter Rehg bat for him at a critical time, and it was a base on balls to Rehg, batting for Luque which forced over the winning tally. By the time the inning was completed the Reds had the victory well in hand.

Hed Eller went in and pitched the ninth inning retiring the opposing batters in one-two-three order. But Eller was not in the lineup when the Reds went to the box; the Reds had the game won with a lead of four runs. Therefore he could not receive credit for winning the game, which had been won before he was picked to go into the box. The credit therefore reverts to Luque, who was the pitcher in charge of the game when the winning round was staged.

BOTH NAMED RALPH

By an odd coincidence Sol bold the young Athletic pitcher has the same name as old Solk Sebold the hard hitting right fielder of the Athletic champions of 1902 and 1903. Old Sol is Ralph Sebold and the young flinger's name also is Ralph.

ALLEN ALL-AROUND ATHLETE

Player From Georgia Tech Making Good With Brooklyn—Probably Play in Outfield

Horace Allen the new player with the Superbas was fullback last year on the Georgia Tech Golden Tornado football team. He thinks he is a first baseman or catcher but your Uncle Wilbert Robinson is likely to make an outfielder of him. Allen has all the earmarks of an athlete. He stands about six feet was big hands and can think quickly. Also he is willing to learn and has no foolish notions about being a ready made star. He keeps an ear cocked all the time for tips from the older players. When he hears a caustic comment on a play from a veteran or Uncle Wilbert he jots it down as a point for future reference.

Confluence.

CONFLENTCE Aug 28.—A rumor of local people attended the 10th District Sunday school picnic in Hedges grove near Ursina today.

L C Shaw and nephew Farmon Show of Johnson Chapel were visitors in town yesterday.

A J Tolson of Harmettsville was a business visitor here yesterday.

Ruth Barnworth has returned to her work at Black's department store after a several days illness.

The public schools here will open Monday August 28.

Rev H G Trimmer was returned to his home in Berlin after a visit with friends here.

Mrs F S Thomas has returned to her home in Evanson after a visit with friends here.

J M Burnworth was here yesterday on his way to his home at Somerfield after visiting friends at Fort Hill.

Yesterday was pay day on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

Mrs Ha Hostetter is improving from a severe ill ness.

Mrs Grace Show was shopping and visiting friends in Connellsville yesterday.

Mrs Lucy Lennart of the West Side is visiting friends at Somerfield.

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John Stacer He was accompanied home by his three children who spent several weeks here at the home of their grandparents.

MEYERSDALE Aug 29.—A very delightful social and lawn party was held on Wednesday evening at the Church of the Brethren. The young ladies class of the Sunday school of which Miss D I Pike is teacher entertained the young men's class of which W A Shoemaker is the teacher.

The early part of the evening was spent on the lawn where the lunch was served after which they went to the social room of the church where a program was rendered consisting of an address by the pastor Rev T R Coffman J Milton Grayne, superintendent of the Sunday school also gave a talk. Miss Margaret Grifith gave two excellent readings and there were singing by both classes.

Mrs D J Meyers was entertained on Wednesday evening with a card party the guests including the younger folks. At the conclusion of the game the engagement of Miss Orpha Meyers to Edgar Gragnay was announced. Mr Meyers is the only daughter of Mr and Mrs Daniel Meyers and is a very accomplished young lady. Mr Gragnay is a son of Mr and Mrs William H Gragnay of Summit town ship and is a promising young farmer having operated one of his father's farms for the past two years. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs Charlotte Brennan in who had been visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt Mr and Mrs W H Klingenberg left Thursday for her home in Wilkinsburg Pa.

Mrs Mat Diehl has returned from a weeks visit with relatives in Bedford.

Mr and Mrs C H Stetzer and daughter Mrs Kathryn of Belmont are guests at the home of Mr and Mrs J S Stetzer.

Miss Phoebe McMillan returned to her home in Pittsburgh. She has left for two weeks later with friend

Card of Thanks

Mr Robert Coog was hostess Wednesday afternoon when the entertainers met the members of the Card club at her home on North Street.

George F Bratt of Varderger who was here to attend the funeral of his nephew Brana d Werner returned to his home Tuesday evening.

Prof and Mrs J V Lober and children who spent the summer months here and a Berlin with relatives left Wednesday for their home in Wilkinsburg.

Miss Madeline and Delaine Pickering of Johnstown are guests at the home of their relative Mr and Mrs Louis Brattain on North Street.

Mrs W G Gray of Cumberland spent a few days of her week here with her parents Mr and Mrs F C West.

Mr Charles Damico son Philip and daughters Johanna and Rosa are visiting for the week with relatives in Akron Ohio.

Mrs John Landis has returned from Lancaster where she attended the state convention of the Daughters of Rebekah being a delegate from the Meyersdale Lodge.

Francis J Stetzer of Belmont came up Saturday and spent two days visiting his parents Mr and Mrs J S Stetzer.

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WORKERS TIRED OF STRIKES

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the Dollar Be Restored and That
Necessity of Further Wage Increases
Be Averted.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—As leading members of both parties in congress view the matter, the high cost of living and the labor question are to be two of the most prominent issues in the coming presidential campaign. The two questions in a way are interlocked and there has been evidence of this fact in Washington for some time, before the recent conferences that marked the beginning of real activity by the administration to restore the purchasing value of the dollar.

Congress has been investigating through a committee, and still is investigating, the high cost of living in the District of Columbia. The law makers have legislative control over the district and here they have full power to go at things and to pass remedial legislation without running afoul of constitutional or other questions. Of course the subject is one which covers the entire territory of the United States, but perhaps conditions in one place are the result of what exists in other places. Consequently, intends now to make a very wide survey of the situation. The word "mutterings" frequently used to describe a condition which before things happen. Washington hears that there are mutterings in the country. A few days ago aid of a great conservative labor organization called on the president of the United States and told him that while his order had been granted increases in wages comparatively recently, it would be necessary to demand another increase unless the high cost of living came down.

The same thing is being told to congressmen by wage earners all over the United States. The problem which confronts the law makers is "How can the high cost of living be brought down, and the necessity for further increases in wages, which it is almost impossible for some employers to pay, be averted?"

All Shifting the Blame.

The instant that law makers start on an investigation of a subject of this kind the first answer to the main question always is "Supply and demand." Some of the law makers say that this no longer is an adequate answer, even though many men from time immemorial have declared that the answer is an axiom.

Men outside of congress who have looked into the subject, students of economics and others, have said that there is a unanimous disposition among the producers, the middle men, the wholesalers and the retailers to shift the blame. They repeat that the attempt to find the place where there is too much profit is the hardest task which they ever undertook.

Both parties in congress have charged profiteering, but neither party seems to know just where the profiteering is under way, although in some cases there have been specific instances stated. So far as the District of Columbia is concerned, the direct charge has been made that landlords and some storekeepers have watched carefully for increases of pay among the government employees and instantly have advanced their prices so as to absorb the additional money which congress has voted to the workers. Of course if this could be proved it would be about as glaring a case of taking money from the "innocents" as could be adduced.

Justified, Say Landlords.

Landlords here say that under wartime legislation restricting the raising of rents they lost money and that they have got to advance the prices a reasonable amount in order to make a legitimate profit. What the landlords of the District of Columbia say is just about parallel to some of the answers made by other industries which have been accused of profiteering.

The counsel for one of the greatest organizations of labor in the United States told me the other day that laboring men everywhere tell him they are tired of striking that they want adequate pay, of course, but that they do not want to have to strike constantly in order to get money enough to pay the landlord, the butcher, the baker and the milk man. The intimation of the counsel was that if the cost of living in some way could be regulated so that food men, clothing men, and landlords could get a fair profit and the salary and the wage earners could live and put aside a little money, there would be a sudden dropping off in strikes and a sudden disappearance of discontent.

This is all beautiful, and so the lawmakers say, but they would like it better if somebody would point a way to find out definitely just where the trouble is, and if it is possible, with things as they are in the world, to enable a \$1 a day man to have what the French king once said his peasants in ought to have, "a towl in the pot every Sunday," with meat and vegetables in proportion on the other days of the week and with food, clothing, a good house and schooling for his children.

His Fault.
Mrs. Penhollow—We became engaged under the mistletoe.

Benham—I know it, but I'm not blaming the blamed plant; it didn't grow over my head, and I got under it, knowing all its deadly properties.

Unkind.

"When everything is said and done" he began.

"I never expect to see that day," he interrupted.

"What day?"

"When you've said everything."

SCHEME DIDN'T WORK RIGHT
Business Men's Pleasant Evening
Nothing at All Like What He
Planned It Should Be.

"Gesb," exclaimed the business man, "I had the disappointment of my life last night. Even this sunny morning can't take away the sting. For the past month I don't believe I have had one nice, quiet, peaceful night at home—an evening of perfect relaxation. It seemed longer than that.

"Yesterday morning, with the thought that at the end of the day I would be free my step to the office was more springy than usual. Not a business nor social engagement did I have. If anybody had attempted to start anything in either line I would have said, 'Nothing doing, I am going to be busy,' and I would have finished the sentence to myself with 'at home.'

"I felt like a lark all day. Nothing to do tonight," I kept repeating to myself, "nothing at all; absolute freedom. I will catch up on the magazines that have been accumulating. I will take up the book that I haven't looked into for so long that I have forgotten who the characters are. I will sit in my favorite soft, easy, sink-down-deep chair under the reading lamp. I will don my dressing gown and slippers. I will luxuriate all evening—nites, quiet, long evening."

"I could hardly wait for dinner to be over. When it was, I immediately set about doing all that I had planned. I relaxed, groaning with comfort into my chair. My dog curled up at my feet, something he had not done for a month, too. I went to my reading. I read for an hour. And then, darn it all! I got so sleepy that I couldn't hold my eyes open. I just had to go to bed. I tried to do it and I was thoroughly disgusted. But there was no help for it. And there you are; my glorious evening completely ruined because I was too sleepy to enjoy it!"—Providence Journal.

WATCH CREATION OF FLORA
Botanists Intensely Interested In Nature's Work on Volcano Island In Bombo Lake, Luzon.

The destruction of vegetation in isolated regions is a matter of great interest to botanists, who are making increasing efforts to observe the creation of the new flora taking the place of the old. Volcano Island, in Bombo lake, Luzon, was chiefly covered by grasses and small trees before the eruption of the Taal volcano in 1911, but the eruption destroyed all plant life except some clumps of bamboo and a few bananas in the northern part of the island. In a report on the vegetation W. H. Brown, F. D. Verrell and H. S. Yates note that in six years 29 vascular plants had been recorded, the chief species being a few grasses. Of the total, 34 per cent were probably introduced by birds, about 20 per cent by the wind and about 10 per cent by the water—a different showing from that of the more exposed Island of Krakatoa, in the Strait of Sunda, where the chief work of birds was small. The growth of vegetation in Volcano Island is still sparse—a condition attributed to lack of proper soil and the ground's small amount of water and high proportion of sulphur.

Wideawake Mexicos.
A Mexican citizen of Mazatlan recently has been granted a concession of 100 hectares (about 247 acres), and so much more as may be necessary, at the railway station of Oso, state of Sinaloa, for the purpose of establishing an experimental farm to demonstrate the economic value which would result from the proper use of modern American agricultural machinery in the production of crops. It is the intention of the concessionaire to rent portions of the lands at a nominal cost to American manufacturers of agricultural machinery and implements, who may send experts to demonstrate the machinery with the view both to promoting sales of the American goods and to educating the people in the more modern farming methods.

Victor Hugo for Japanese Readers.
The works of Victor Hugo have already been translated into Japanese, to be published in a monthly series of 12 volumes beginning with June. "The translators," says the Herald of Asia, "include literary men of known standing, whose names are a guarantee of conscientious work. Many of the great French author's works have already been translated into Japanese, one of these, 'Les Misérables,' having been dramatized by the late Genichiro Fujimaki; but this is the first time a translation of Hugo's complete works has been attempted. The appearance of the new publications will confer a great boon upon the public, who face a strong danger for inspirations of the sort supplied by the illustrious French author.

No Jazz There.

A dance given at Albert Hall recently in London and patronized by all the nobility, including Queen Mary and Queen Alexandra, had upon its program fox-trots and other dances of the kind so popular before the war, but "jazz." England is said to be dancing mad, but that the dancers do not take kindly to this latest American dance, although American dances are as a general thing very popular. The "Peace Valse" is the newest English dance and is said to have been applauded for three minutes when the first notes of the waltz were played.

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